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THE PROSECUTION CHARGED THAT AMONG THE ITEMS FOUND IN MARIELLI'S POSSESSION WAS A NOTEBOOK WITH THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF NIKOLAI KARPEKOV, A FORMER FIRST SECRETARY OF THE SOVIET EMBASSY IN LONDON.

IT CHARGED THAT A PHYSICIST, MARTILLI WAS "PREPARED AND EQUIPPED TO PLAY HIS PART WHEN THE OPPORTUNITY PRESENTED ITSELF TO PASS ON INFORMATION TO THOSE WHOSE SERVANT HE WAS."

IT STRESSED THAT IT WAS NOT NECESSARY FOR THE STATE TO PROVE THAT ESPIONAGE HAD BEEN CARRIED OUT--ONLY THAT PREPARATIONS HAD BEEN MADE.

"OTHERWISE, IT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO CATCH A MAN ACTUALLY IN THE ACT OF PASSING INFORMATION BEFORE HE COULD BE DEALT WITH," THE PROSECUTOR, SOLICITOR GENERAL SIR PETER RAWLINSON, SAID.

MARTELLI, WHO WAS ARRESTED ON HIS RETURN TO ENGLAND FROM BRUSSELS, THE ERATOM HEADQUARTERS, ALSO HAD WRITTEN THE NAME AGREFERNI IN HIS NOTEBOOK, RAWLINSON SAID:

"YOU WILL HEAR THAT AMONG THE NAMES OF PEOPLE ON THE STAFF OF THE SOVIET AMBASSADOR IN BRUSSELS APPEARS THE NAME VLADIMIR AGREFFINI," RAWLINSON TOLD THE COURT.

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